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(X) original patent application,

( ) continuation-in-part application

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TITLE:

Method and Apparatus for Effecting Secure Communications

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